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Applicant:	Yoji KAMEO et al.	Conf.:	9431
Appl. No.:	09/472,972	Group:	3761
Filed:	December 28, 1999	Examiner:	Kidwell, M.M.
For:	SANITARY NAPKIN HAVING WING PORTIONS (AS AMENDED)		

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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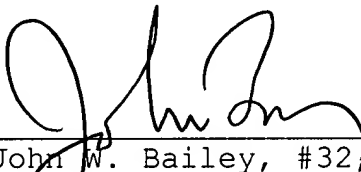
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**Response Under 37 C.F.R. 1.116**  
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In response to the Examiner's Office Action dated September 30, 2003 (Paper No. 12), Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application.

This paper includes Claim Set as Amended and Remarks.